

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

CLYDE H. MEANS,)	3:10-cv-0076-LRH (RAM)
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Plaintiff,)	<u>MINUTES OF THE COURT</u>
)	
vs.)	January 3, 2011
)	
NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF)	
CORRECTIONS, et al.,)	
)	
Defendants.)	
_____)	

PRESENT: THE HONORABLE ROBERT A. McQUAID, JR., U.S. MAGISTRATE JUDGE

DEPUTY CLERK: JENNIFER COTTER REPORTER: NONE APPEARING

COUNSEL FOR PLAINTIFF(S): NONE APPEARING

COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT(S): NONE APPEARING

MINUTE ORDER IN CHAMBERS:

Defendants have filed a Motion to Strike Plaintiff's Reply to Answer (Doc. #36). Defendants' Motion is well taken.

Fed. R. Civ. P. 7(a) provides for the filing of a complaint and an answer and various other pleadings. The Rule does not permit the filing of an opposition to an answer to a complaint.

Defendants' Motion to Strike Plaintiff's Reply to Answer (Doc. #36) is **GRANTED**. The Clerk shall **STRIKE** Plaintiff's Reply to Defendants' Answer (Doc. #35).

IT IS SO ORDERED.

LANCE S. WILSON, CLERK

By: /s/
Deputy Clerk